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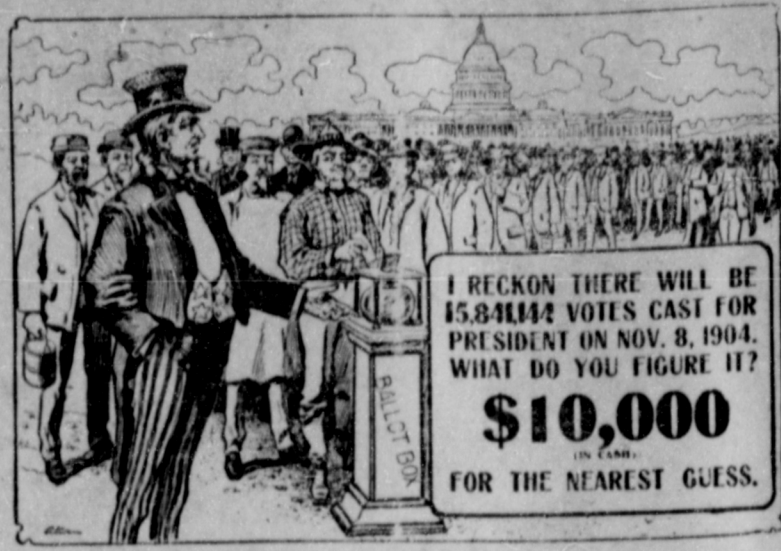
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\$25,000 IN 500 CASH PRIZES
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8 Special Prizes of \$500, each for Early Subscriptions.

We have made arrangements with the Press Publishing Association of Detroit, Michigan, whereby our subscribers can participate in this distribution.

Every subscriber to The Breathitt County News has a chance to share in these cash prizes. The subject matter of the interesting Contest in which these large prizes will be paid is the Total Popular Vote to be cast for the office of President of the United States on the 8th of November, 1904. Every man, woman and child in the United States should be interested in the Greatest election the Country has ever had. It costs you nothing to win a prize.

Conditions of this Great Contest

Every subscriber who remits \$1, the regular subscription price for a year's subscription to The Breathitt County News, will be entitled to two guesses and will receive from us a card explaining number of estimates. These certificates will insure to him any prizes which his guesses will entitle him to claim. When you send us your subscription also send us your guesses or estimates of the Total Vote to be cast on November 8th, for the office of PRESIDENT. In making your guesses consult the figures below showing the total vote for PRESIDENT from Lincoln to McKinley. Write your name, address and estimates of the votes in the Subscription Blank below and mail the Blank with your subscription to The Breathitt County News. The paper will be sent to you regularly and you will receive certificates containing the figures of the guesses which you send us. These certificates will guarantee to you any prizes which your guesses entitle you to. Keep these certificates until the prizes are awarded, so that you can compare your figures with the official figures at the close of the contest. The contest will close at midnight, November 7th, 1904, and no estimate received after that hour will be allowed. The official figures of the government showing the total vote cast for the office of President will determine who are entitled to the prizes and the awards will be made by a disinterested committee of prominent judges just as soon as the official figures can be ascertained. When the prizes are awarded every subscriber who holds a certificate in the contest will receive a printed list of the winners. In addition to the large general prizes there are **Eight Special Prizes of \$500.00 each** for early subscriptions. All have an equal chance to win these magnificent prizes. Those who estimate or guess NOW have a chance to win a special prize and just as good a chance to win the capital prize of **\$10,000.00** as the one who sends in his guess on the last day of the contest. At once it may mean a fortune to you. The money with which to pay the prizes has been deposited by the Press Publishing Association, in the Central Savings Bank, Detroit, Mich., and can be used for no other purpose. In case of a tie for any individual prize each prize will be equally divided between the contestants.

Participation in this contest is not confined to our readers, as the contest is being advertised in a number of other publications, the subscribers to all of which have an equal opportunity to share in the distribution of the prizes.

Here is the List of Prizes.

For the nearest correct estimate or guess	\$10,000.00
For the second nearest correct estimate or guess	5,000.00
For the third nearest correct estimate or guess	1,000.00
For the fourth nearest correct estimate or guess	500.00
For the fifth nearest correct estimate or guess	250.00
For the sixth nearest correct estimate or guess	100.00
For the 10 next nearest correct estimates or guesses	500.00 each
For the 20 next nearest correct estimates or guesses	\$25 each
For the 40 next nearest correct estimates or guesses	\$15 each
For the 100 next nearest correct estimates or guesses	\$10 each
For the 314 next nearest correct estimates or guesses	\$5 each
492 prizes amounting to	\$21,000.00

In addition to the foregoing prizes the following Special Prizes for Early estimates will be paid

For the nearest correct guess received before July 1st	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after July 1st and before July 15th	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after July 15th and before August 1st	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after August 1st and before August 15th	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after August 15th and before September 1st	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after Sept 1st and before Sept 15	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after Sept 15 and before Oct 1st	\$500.00
For the nearest correct guess received on or after Oct 1st and before Oct 15	\$500.00
Total 500 prizes amounting to	\$250,000.00

Valuable Information

To aid in forming your estimates, we furnish the following figures: The total popular vote for President in the year 1864, was 4,024,792. In 1868, was 5,724,686 an increase of 42.23 per cent. In 1872, was 6,466,165 an increase of 12.94 per cent. In 1876, was 8,412,733 an increase of 30.40 per cent. In 1880, was 9,209,406 an increase of 9.07 per cent. In 1884, was 10,044,955 an increase of 9.07 per cent. In 1888, was 11,280,800 an increase of 12.30 per cent. In 1892, was 12,059,351 an increase of 6.93 per cent. In 1896, was 13,933,102 an increase of 15.45 per cent. In 1900, was 13,939,653 an increase of .06 per cent.

In 1904, What will it be?

Figure it out or guess at it, and send in your subscription. It may mean a fortune to you. It costs you nothing to guess.

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My estimates of the total vote to be cast on November 8, 1904, for the office of President are:

WEEK'S NEWS BUDGET

ON WHICH BLUE PENCIL WAS FREELY USED.

Happenings in the Various Quarters of the World Will Be Found Duly Chronicled in the Fewest Words in This Column.

TUESDAY.
William Hay Rocker, cashier of the First National Bank, Saratoga, N. Y., reported missing.

Frank Henry Burness electrocuted at Sing Sing prison for the murder of Captain George B. Townsend at New York.

Sheriff's deputies and posse captured James Salvers, wanted for the murder of Mack White, and brought him to Jackson, Ky.

Three robbers blew the safe in the postoffice at Rocky River, O., a suburb of Cleveland. Citizens frightened the men away, several volleys being exchanged.

A small blaze which started in a jewelry store resulted in a general conflagration which destroyed the entire portion of the town of Sisson, Cal. Loss \$200,000.

One man killed, 15 injured and others badly shaken up in a collision between a train carrying workmen to the South Buffalo steel works and a Nickel Plate freight train at Buffalo, New York.

MONDAY.
Eleven persons injured at Chicago in a collision of two streetcars.

Senator Fairbanks, vice presidential nominee, accorded a great demonstration at Indianapolis, Ind.

Alex Gay, colored, found guilty at Chillicothe, O., of murder in the first degree. Killed his wife.

John Sharp Williams (Miss), Democratic leader in congress, slated for temporary chairman of the St. Louis convention.

Fire, supposed to have been of incendiary origin, caused losses aggregating \$300,000 in the lumber district along the river front at Cleveland, O.

Marcus Crahn of Providence, R. I., pleaded guilty at St. Louis to printing and uttering counterfeit bills and was sentenced to 15 years' hard labor in the government prison at Atlanta, Ga., and to the payment of \$2,500 fine.

SATURDAY.
Carter D. Sheldon, former congressman from the Twelfth Michigan district, died suddenly of apoplexy at Houghton, Mich.

The House of Hoo-Hoo, erected on the world's fair grounds by the Lambermen's association at a cost of \$10,000, burned to the ground.

Secretary Taft issued an order making the terms of the Dingley act as to tariff rates applicable to the canal strip on the isthmus of Panama.

A destructive flood resulted at Concordia, Kan., from a fall of four and one-half inches of rain. The principal streets are rivers and the cellars in the business portion are flooded.

At Detroit, Mich., Charles A. Swayne shot Miss Edie L. Alvord of Saginaw while the couple were on the eleventh floor of the Chamber of Commerce building. Swayne then jumped out of the window to death. Woman will recover.

FRIDAY.
George D. Lewis killed by an engine while track walking near Leipsic, O.

John Frederick Elmore appointed Peruvian minister at Washington, succeeding Manuel Alvarez Calderon, who resigned.

While bathing in the Scioto river at Portsmouth, O., Edward Beatty, 17, a shoe worker, got beyond his depth and was drowned.

Maurice Trattner, a Cleveland salesman, died at the City Hospital, Akron, O., as the result of a self-administered dose of Paris green.

O. C. Longyear, paymaster of the Hudson River Bluebonnet company, waylaid by three Italians near Stony Hollow, N. Y., and robbed of \$2,765.

Two Indian children at Eagle Valley, Nev., murdered their 3-year-old brother, whom they disliked. The oldest of the fratricides is a girl aged 7 and the other is a boy of 4.

While arrested over a trifling matter, Alfred Freitag killed his sister, Mrs. Mildred Peters, in Bellevue, Ky.

John Tucker Murdoch, manager of the Albert Tucker Coal company of Philadelphia, shot and killed himself at his home in Rivington, N. J. Falling from a high place.

Fire at Jackson, N. J., consumed the lumber yard of the P. & V. Van Kirk company, the brick mill of T. A. Hall & Co., and other property. Loss half a million.

Prudential Trust company, Pittsburgh, capitalized at \$200,000, announced that the board of directors had decided to quit business and enter a voluntary assignment.

Frank Shumaker, a bartender, because his persistent proposals of marriage to Mrs. Bridget Lee, a widow, and proprietress of a saloon in Brooklyn, were refused, shot and killed her, then blew out his own brains.

WEDNESDAY.
A pistol encounter between gamblers fatal to both participants occurred at Marion, Ind. J. Lee Meredith and John Barth, who had been quarreling, opened up on each other in a saloon.

A formal plea of not guilty entered by Mrs. N. Patterson when she was arraigned in the court of general sessions, New York, charged with the murder of Caesar Young, the bookmaker.

Adolph Tanenb arrested at Fort William, Man., charged with inciting to riot. He has confessed to the police to the burning of buildings valued at over \$2,000,000, including the City hall.

BY ACCLAMATION

Republicans Name Leaders For the Coming Fray.

ROOSEVELT AND FAIRBANKS

Will Lead the "Grand Old Party" to Battle in the Fall.

NOMINEES ARE WILDLY CHEERED

Oratory the Chief Characteristic of the Closing Session of the National Republican Convention—Nominating Speech of Former Governor Black, the Platform in Full and Other Proceedings of the Great Meeting at Chicago.

Chicago, June 23.—When all prospect of a contest over the nomination of a running mate for President Roosevelt on the Republican national ticket was dissipated by the withdrawal of Congressman Robert R. Hitt of Illinois and John W. Springer of Colorado, the last day's session of the Republican convention became still more than ever a ratification meeting and campaign jubilee for Roosevelt and Fairbanks.

There was no lack of oratory in the last day's proceedings. In fact, oratory was the chief characteristic of the day.

There was no dull of enthusiasm among the delegates and in the galleries, although there was just the slightest semblance of the thrilling excitement that attends the choosing of candidates whose fate hangs upon the uncertain decision of the ballot.

The orators with each other in political preachments and panegyric, but the answer to it all was a loud chorus of ayes in each instance when Theodore Roosevelt of New York was nominated as the candidate for president and Charles W. Fairbanks of Indiana was nominated for vice president by acclamation.

The day's proceedings being reduced to a matter of routine, the attendance was not as large as had been anticipated, but it lacked nothing in enthusiasm. To make certain that the program could be completed in due time to enable delegates to avail themselves of the evening trains for the homeward journey, and the departure of the special train for the St. Louis exposition at 8 p. m., the hour of adjournment was set for 10 o'clock. By that time the bulk of the convention and its spectators were seated, and but little time was consumed in the opening preliminaries.

In like manner Senator Fairbanks was named for vice president, the principal nominating speech being made by Senator Dolliver of Iowa.

The notification committees were formally announced, whereupon the convention arrived at its final adjournment with the customary demonstration, the "charge of the light brigade" and the rush of everybody for the exits.

The Platform.
The platform adopted by the convention refers at length to the achievements of the party in the past. The tariff, reciprocity and other leading protection which guards and develops our industries is a cardinal policy of the Republican party. The measure of progress is always at least equal to the difference in the cost of production at home and abroad. We insist upon the maintenance of the principle of self-protection and therefore veto of duty should be restricted only when conditions are so changed that the public welfare demands their alteration, but this work cannot safely be committed to any other hands than those of the Republican party. To entreat it to the Democratic party is to invite disaster. Whether, as in 1892, the Democratic party declared the protective tariff unconstitutional or whether it demands tariff reform or a revision of its real object is always the destruction of the protective system. However, upon the same the purpose is ever the same. A Democratic tariff has always been followed by business prosperity. To a Republican tariff and a Republican president this great question can be safely entrusted. What the only free trade treaty among the great nations signifies a return to protection the chief protective country should not fail in maintaining it.

We have extended widely our influence, and we believe in the adoption of all practicable methods for the betterment of the people, and without injury to American agriculture, American labor or any American industry.

We believe it to be the duty of the Republican party to uphold the gold standard and the integrity and value of our national currency. The maintenance of the gold standard, established by the Republican party, cannot safely be committed to the Democratic party, which has renounced its adoption and has never given any proof since that time of belief in it or ability to it.

While every other industry has prospered under the fostering aid of Republican legislation, American shipping engaged in foreign trade in competition with the low cost of construction, low wages and heavy subsidies of foreign governments has for many years received from the government of the United States adequate encouragement of any kind. We therefore favor legislation which will encourage and build up the American merchant marine and we cordially approve the legislation of the last congress which created the merchant marine commission to investigate and report upon this subject.

We earnestly approve the attitude of United States against any attack to uphold the Monroe doctrine and watch over our commerce is essential to the safety and the welfare of the American people. To maintain such a navy is the fixed policy of the Republican party.

We cordially approve the attitude of President Roosevelt and congress in regard to the exclusion of Chinese labor from the United States. We cordially approve the administration to protect American citizens in foreign lands and pledge ourselves to insist upon the rights and equal protection of all our citizens abroad. It is the unquestioned duty of the government to procure for all our citizens, without distinction of race, color, religion and creed, the rights of travel and sojourn in friendly countries and we declare ourselves in favor of all proper efforts to improve the attitude of the United States.

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We favor such congressional action as shall determine whether by special discrimination the election franchise in any state has been unconstitutionally limited and, if such is the case, we demand that representation in congress and in the electoral college shall be proportionally reduced as directed by the constitution of the United States.

Combinations of capital and labor are the result of the economic movement of the age, but neither must be permitted to infringe upon the rights and interests of the people. Such combinations were lawfully formed for lawful purposes and are alike entitled to the protection of the law, but both are subject to the laws and neither can be permitted to break them.

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The American people were fortunate in his successor, to whom the nation with a trust and confidence which have been fully justified. President Roosevelt brought to the great responsibilities of the presidency a clear head and a brave heart, an earnest patriotism and high ideals of public duty and public service. True to the principles of the Republican party and to the policies which that party had declared, he has shown himself ready for every emergency, and has met new and vital questions with ability and with success.

Our foreign policy under his administration has not only been able to stand out dignified, but in the highest degree successful. The complicated questions which arose in Yunnan, China, and in the canal route but avoided foreign complications which might have been of a very serious character.

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The other feature of importance was the report of the committee on resolutions, presented by its chairman, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge of Massachusetts, the nearest and most intimate friend of President Roosevelt, to whom was entrusted the responsibility of presenting the platform for the 2000 campaign.

The result of other committees and the business of the new national committee ended the proceedings, and the convention adjourned for the day.

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RUSSO-JAPANESE WAR.

Russians Lose Warships in a Battle Off Port Arthur.

Tokyo, June 27.—Details of the naval engagement at Port Arthur have been received here as follows:

"The Russian battleships Peresviet, Poltava and Sevastopol and the cruisers Bayan, Askold and Novik attempted to emerge from the harbor at dawn on June 23, led by steamers used for clearing the mines. At 11 a. m. the battleships Czarevitch, Retvizan and Pobieda joined the others. All the ships then advanced, endeavoring to dispose of the mines laid by the Japanese, but they were hindered by two Japanese torpedo boat destroyers which had been guarding the mouth of the harbor. At 3 p. m. the Japanese torpedo boats exchanged shots with seven Russian destroyers which were covering the clearing operations. One of the Russian destroyers was set on fire and retired inside the harbor.

"Subsequently the Japanese destroyed the Russians out to sea, and awaited an opportunity to begin a general action, but between 8 and 9 p. m. the Russian ships made for the harbor. The Japanese torpedo boat destroyers and torpedo boats chased the Russians, and at 9:30 delivered the first attack, in consequence of which the enemy was thrown into disorder.

"During the night eight separate attacks were delivered, lasting until dawn of Friday. In one of these assaults the Chiratake twice torpedoed a battleship of the Peresviet type and sank her. A battleship of the Sevastopol type and a cruiser of the Diana type were disabled and towed away. The Russian vessels re-entered the harbor during Friday.

"It is reported that the Russian Admiral Oukhtomsky and 750 men lost their lives as a result of the sinking of the Russian battleship."

Battle Raged For Hours.
St. Petersburg, June 28.—Lieutenant General Sakharoff sends details of the reconnaissance of Japanese forces made by a Russian detachment, which encountered the Japanese at Al Yang Mon. The fight commenced at 10:30 a. m. on June 22, and continued until midnight, when the Russians withdrew. The Japs were forced from their positions and their advance temporarily checked. A Cossack battery participated. The Russian losses were 7 officers and 26 men killed and 53 men wounded. The enemy is reported to have suffered heavy losses.

Reported Japanese Victory.
London, June 28.—A dispatch from Tokyo, Japan, says it is reported that the Japanese have taken Hai Ching after a desperate and bloody battle, and that the Russian army has been badly beaten. The war office will neither confirm nor deny the report, but admits that heavy fighting has been going on about Hai Ching.

Young Woman's Tragic Death.
Columbus, O., June 28.—Miss Mattie Merrill, 22, a bookbinder, was struck and instantly killed by Baltimore and Ohio train No. 108 at Sullistown avenue crossing, on the west side. The young woman was hurled 50 feet and the handle of an umbrella she was carrying penetrated her body.

MARKET REPORTS.
Grain and Stock Prices For June 27.

Cleveland.—Cattle: Choice fat steers, 1,200 lbs. and up, \$5.75@6.00; good to choice, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$4.80@5.15; good to choice, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.70@5.05; coarse and rough fat steers, \$4.60@4.85; choice heifers, \$4.45@5.20; choice fat bulls, \$4.00@4.25; choice fat cows, \$4.00@4.25; fancy choice to fancy good, \$3.00@3.25; sheep and springers, \$4.00@4.50. Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice ewes, \$3.25@3.75; spring lambs, \$4.00@5.00; good to choice mixed lambs, \$3.00@3.25; fair to good, \$2.00@2.25; good to choice mixed sheep, \$3.00@3.25; fair to good, \$2.00@2.25; culls and common, \$1.50@2.00; spring lambs, \$4.00@5.00; Calves—Best, \$5.00@5.25; Yorkers and medium, \$3.50@4.00; pigs, \$3.50@4.00; stags and roughs, \$2.50@3.00.

East Buffalo.—Cattle: Good to choice export steers, \$4.00@4.25; shipping, \$4.75@5.00; butchers' cattle, fair to good, \$4.00@4.25; native cows, \$2.50@2.75; fat cows, \$2.50@2.75; bulls, \$4.45@5.20; good to choice mixed sheep, \$3.00@3.25; fair to good, \$2.00@2.25; good to choice mixed sheep, \$3.00@3.25; fair to good, \$2.00@2.25; culls and common, \$1.50@2.00; spring lambs, \$4.00@5.00; Calves—Best, \$5.00@5.25; Yorkers and medium, \$3.50@4.00; pigs, \$3.50@4.00; stags and roughs, \$2.50@3.00.

Chicago.—Cattle: Good to prime steers, \$5.00@5.25; poor to medium, \$4.50@4.75; stockers and feeders, \$2.25@2.50; cows, \$1.50@1.75; heifers, \$2.00@2.25; canners, \$1.50@1.75; bulls, \$2.00@2.25; farm steers, \$4.00@4.25; Sheep and Lambs—Good to choice wethers, \$4.25@4.50; fair to choice mixed, \$3.50@4.00; western sheep, \$2.50@2.75; native lambs, \$4.00@5.00; western lambs, \$4.00@5.00; mixed and butchers, \$2.50@2.75; good to choice heavy, \$3.50@4.00; rough heavy, \$2.50@2.75; light, \$2.00@2.25; Wheat—No. 2 red, \$1.35; Corn—No. 2, 47¢; Oats—No. 2, 20¢.

Pittsburg.—Cattle: Choice, \$6.10@6.25; prime, \$5.95@6.00; good, \$5.80@5.95; day butchers, \$4.90@5.25; fair, \$4.40@4.75; heifers, \$2.50@2.75; cows, bulls and stags, \$2.00@2.40; fresh cows, \$2.50@2.75; 40-60 lbs. Sheep and Lambs—Prime wethers, \$4.00@4.25; good mixed, \$3.50@4.00; fair mixed, \$3.00@3.25; clipped lambs, \$2.50@2.75; spring lambs, \$4.00@5.00; Calves—Best, \$5.00@5.25; Yorkers and medium, \$3.50@4.00; pigs, \$3.50@4.00; stags and roughs, \$2.50@3.00.

New York.—Cattle: Steers, \$4.40@4.60; bulls, \$3.25@3.50; cows, \$2.50

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Correspondence.
SIMPSON.
[Delayed]
Mr. W. A. Hampton was in Jackson
Saturday on business.
Mrs. E. L. Yocum of Paris was in
Simpson one day last week shopping.
Mr. R. E. Mason of Birmingham Ala.
has been visiting friends here for the
last two weeks. He returned to his
home Wednesday.
Miss Lillie Hurst of Peartree spent
Saturday and Sunday with her sister
Mrs. W. A. Hampton.
Mr. J. H. Berry was in Jackson
Monday.
Miss Laura Holton Hampton was the
guest of her cousins Misses Fannie and
Lillie Hurst of Peartree Sunday and
had quite an enjoyable time.
Mr. J. B. Holton was in Simpson
Monday on business.
Mr. & Mrs. W. A. Hampton gave a
"dinner" party Monday night in honor of
Mr. Robert E. Mason of Birmingham, Ala.
Those present were:
Misses Fannie and Lillie Hurst Peartree
Mrs. Margaret and Emma Crave-
ford of Jackson, Edna Hurst, Boxer,
Lillie Sherman, Boxer, Lula Holton
Hampton, Simpson, Messrs. K. E. Ma-
son, Birmingham, Ala., Taylor Hurst,
Peartree, S. D. Florent, Jackson, Tom
Seal, Boxer, Will S. Shultz, and Robert
Williamson, Olympia, J. H. Berry
Richmond John and Cap. Horst Peartree.
All enjoyed themselves very much.
BOONEVILLE.
E. E. Hogg and H. C. Combs are hav-
ing 400,000 brick made preparatory to
building a new bank building and some
dwelling houses.
John Noble whose arm was amputated
last week is still very low and it is
very doubtful whether he will recover
or not.
Lightning struck a tree under which
14 horses were hitched at Macdon-
ald Church house on White Oak last
week during services there. A full
of 2 mules for John Roberts, 2 mares
and a colt for Walker Gay, fortunately
no person was injured.
Gillis Barrett who was shot and mortally
wounded at the stage mill on
Bushy mountain last week is dead.
Dan Bolin, Henry Minn and a man by
the name of Bruner is under arrest,
charged with the killing. They claim
self defense, while Barrett's friends
claim it to be wilful murder. Bolin
and Bruner is from Clay Co. and Minn
from Laurel Co. and from from
the Beaver Company Co.
Yaller Britches
FINCASTLE.
W. O. B. Stamper has sold his farm
and coal company. They are prepar-
ing for extensive operations soon.
Miss Ada Shackelford was visiting
over near Zachariah the first of the
week.
J. F. Kineaid is suffering with a sprain
of ankle.
Last Friday was court day at Squi-
neads with a very light docket.
T. S. Shackelford spent a few days in
Oakhdale the last of the week.
A. C. Eastin had the misfortune of
burning his saw mill on Sinking Creek
last Tuesday night.
Married: on the 23rd Charles
Shackelford to Miss Della Combs. Vis-
ited congratulations.
Gente Kineaid was in attendance at
quire Kineaid Court last Friday.
T. H. Davis of Winchester was in
last week to visit A. C. Eastin.
Miss Julia Johnson was visiting Mrs.
oe Smith a few days back.
Walter Maloney a brakeman on the
L. & E. R. R. while opening the switch
at Sullivan spur fell and the train ran
over him and cut both his legs, all
above the ankle joint.
Mrs. G. G. Gilbert died here Monday
morning. She was a daughter Mrs.
athrin Wiley.
Frank Kineaid took his mule team
to Beattyville the first day of Court to
Hunt found no buyer so, he brought
them back and will graze them.
Mrs. Arundia Netheby is quite sick.
TORRENT.
Mr. Clifford Jones of Ridgewood June
was in St. Helena Sunday where he
received the acquaintance of many old
friends.
Misses Gellie and Martha Bush and
land Spaulding and Mrs. Paulina Faul-
ner, Mrs. Rose Shackelford, Mrs. De-
Knox and Miss Emma Whetman of this
place were at dinner last Friday
morning they participated in a grand
March of Rhythmic and Odd Fellows
and Juniors.
Mart Davis was in Lexington Friday
and Saturday and Sunday last week.
Mr. Willie Bush, of Montrose, Ken-
tucky was visiting friends at Zach-
ariah last week.
Mrs. W. A. Jones of Ridgewood June
remains critically ill.
Walter Maloney of Beattyville a
brakeman on the L. & E. R. R. slipped
and fell under the wheels of his
train, West Bound freight No 13 near
Walkers Creek Spur last Saturday
morning one leg was cut off and the other
crushed so bad that it had to be am-
putated. Maloney was put in the en-
gine and the engine took him to Stan-
ton. The freight train was left on the
main line blocking all traffic some-
thing very unusual in railroading.
C. S. Bush P. M. was in Winchester vi-
siting his mother several days the past

week.
Messrs. John D. Pace, L. D. Mitchell,
Lewis J. Lake and Howard Jones were
at Natural Bridge last Sunday and had
the time of their lives.
Earle Ashby was in Jackson Saturday
and Sunday visiting his brother and
sister Mr. and Mrs. Carl T. Ashby.
Charles Spencer was in Beattyville
on business Monday.
A. M. Stiles returned to Ridgewood
Tuesday after being on furlough in
Breathitt county for several days past.
Carl Ashley went to Ridgewood Mon-
day.
A. C. Eastin's saw mill on Big Sinking
Creek and 15,000 feet of lumber were
destroyed by fire last week. \$800.00
ROUSSEAU.
There are several creeks un-
der.
Ephraim Hogston and his brother
sought three red foxes last Sunday.
Manford Richie of South Fork was
with Daniel McIntosh and Joe Lovely
at services at the Rousseau church.
The funeral of James D. Williams
will be conducted on the 3rd Saturday
and Sunday in September.
The funeral of O. W. Minix will be
conducted on the 5th Sunday in Sep-
tember.
Floyd Napier and wife and Edith
Clemmons were here at church last Sun-
day.
Mrs. Peggy Sally, Mrs. Mary Hens-
ley, and Mrs. Bell Calloway went to
Robbins last Monday.
JETTS CREEK.
Wm and Lillian Wyatt of Elkatawa
were here visiting friends last Sat-
urday and Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. James Deaton of Perry
county were visiting friends and re-
latives here last week.
Mr. Tom Johnson who had his foot
burnt some weeks ago is out again at
his work.
Wm K. Terry made a business trip
to Jackson Monday.
J. C. Terry went to Turkey Tuesday.
Mrs. Mary Johnson is visiting friends
at Cox Creek this week.
There will be preaching at the Jetts
creek school house on the 1st Sunday
in July, conducted by Rev. E. J. Simon.
Mrs. Rebecca Woods of Cope Branch
is visiting her daughter Mrs. J. D. Moore
and Mrs. Hie Bryant of Jackson this
week.
**Democratic National Conven-
tion.**
Of interest to Kentuckians.
The Democratic National Conven-
tion, to be held in St. Louis, Mo., July
6, will be beyond a doubt bring together
the largest and most representative
gathering of Democrats from all sec-
tions of the United States that has
ever assembled in the history of the party,
and the "papa" of all Democratic
States, that good old Commonwealth
of Kentucky, will, as usual, contribute
one of the most representative and
largest delegations at this convention.
The side attraction offered by the
Missouri Democrats in the shape of
the Louisiana Purchase Exposition in-
cludes the largest gathering and "getting
together" of Democrats that the good
old party has known. This is
conceded.
Governor Beckham National Con-
ventionman Woodson and all the
politicians at large have selected the
Henderson Route as their official route
to the convention, thus favoring
speaking, serving the entire state.
That the trip may be made pleasant
and interesting and "comfortable beyond
doubt," especially for Kentucky De-
legates and their friends who will attend
the Convention, arrangements have
been made for special accommodations
from Louisville via the Henderson
Route on all of their trains of July 24
north inclusive, and special rate of one
fare plus 25 cents has been made for
the round trip, with final return limit
of fifteen days.
This line offers very improved train
service as follows:
"St. Louis Night Limited" leave
Louisville 9:00 p. m. daily, arrives St.
Louis 7:30 a. m., through without
change of cars—Consist of train—Pull-
man Observation Parlor Cars, Free
Reclining Chair Cars, Dining Cars
(milk and ice), and High Back Seat
Passenger Coaches, substituted through-
out.
This safe and convenient schedule
will put you into St. Louis, not too ear-
ly, but suitably early, and in ample
time to locate yourself at your hotel
quarters, and also afford an opportu-
nity to rest up several hours before open-
ing of the convention—Monday July
sixth—or to visit various state head-
quarters and renew acquaintances with
your Democratic brethren and
get your bearings in the World's Fair
City. These special train accommo-
dations have been arranged to accom-
modate not only Kentucky delegates and
their friends, but the various Demo-
cratic and all Democrats. It is there-
fore expected that every Democrat
will make an earnest and personal ef-
fort to attend this, the Banner Con-
vention in the history of Democracy, and
to influence their friends to the same
end, thus insuring a solid front for
Kentucky.
D. L. Batesan, D. M. Batesan, from east. n

and central Kentucky should join bal-
ance of party at Louisville.
Tickets will be sold through from all
Kentucky points at reduced rates, ask
your nearest ticket agent for rates and
to secure your ticket reads over
the Henderson Route between Louis-
ville and St. Louis.
James Chapman has been enlisted in the
U. S. Army and left for K. Y. West. Fla.
last Tuesday. Mr. Chapman recently re-
turned home from the Philippines where
he was in service, but on account of
expiration of term of enlistment.
From present conditions this prom-
ises to be the best crop year within
the memory of the oldest citizens of
this section. The crops have been about
normal and crops and gardens look
promising with hardly a grain. This,
however, is contrary to the saying that
it takes a cold May and a dry June for
a good crop year.
**VERY LOW RATES TO
ST. LOUIS, MO.**
Via
SOUTHERN RAILWAY
On account of the Democratic
National Convention the
Southern Railway will sell
tickets from Lexington to St.
Louis and return at rate of
\$10.65. Tickets on sale July
2nd, 3rd, 4th, 5th, and 6th
good to return fifteen days
from date of sale.
RATES OPEN TO ALL
T. W. Crews, T. P. A.
89 EAST MAIN LEXINGTON, KY.
Death Reel Nearly a Thousand.
New York, June 27.—The water has
been pumped out of the wrecked
steamer General Slocum, and two
bodies, very badly burned, were found
on the main deck of the boat. This
brings the total of recovered dead up
to 312, of which 122 have been identi-
fied. More than \$100,000 has been
subscribed to the relief fund.
MORTON OF ILLINOIS
Appointed Secretary of the Navy.
Washington, June 25.—President
Roosevelt made the following an-
nouncement regarding changes in the
cabinet: William H. Moody of Massa-
chusetts to be attorney general; Paul
Morton of Illinois to be secretary of
the navy; Victor H. Metcalf of Califor-
nia to be secretary of commerce and
labor. The resignations of Attorney
General Knox and Secretary Cortis-
on have been accepted to take effect
July 1.
Three Perish In a Fire.
Philadelphia, June 28.—Three per-
sons lost their lives and a half-dozen
others were injured as the result of
an explosion of a small bundle of fire-
works in the storeroom of the Dis-
ciple Fireworks company in this city.
The dead are: Jacob Janovitch, 28;
O. Berman, 27; Lucas Simpson, 21.
The fireworks concern occupied the
first floor of the building. The second
floor was vacant and the third story
was occupied by the French Hat and
Bonnet Frame company. Janovitch
was the proprietor of the hat and bon-
net concern and Berman and Miss
Simpson were his employees. These
were the only persons above the first
floor. About a dozen persons were
employed by the fireworks company.
Three firemen were injured during
the progress of the blaze. Property
loss \$30,000.
Opening of Republican Campaign.
Chicago, June 25.—Secretary Doy-
er of the national committee, after an
hour's conference with Chairman Cor-
telyou at the Auditorium Annex, an-
nounced that the Republican cam-
paign would be formally opened Aug.
1. Chairman Cortelyou and Secretary
Doyler left later for the east, the for-
mer going to Washington. Mr. Doyler
accompanies Mrs. Hanna, widow of
the late senator, to New York, and
Monday will join Chairman Cortelyou
in Washington.
Frank O. Budge.
Mt. Sterling, Ky., June 27.—The
residence of James Arkle at Paris, Bour-
bon county, was entered by burglars
and the entire family chloroformed;
after which a thorough search of the
house was made and a good sum of
money taken. The burglars entered
the sleeping room of Miss Ida Arkle,
and while she was under the influence
of the drug they sheared her head, re-
moving all of the hair from the scalp.
McGraw For Vice President.
Parkersburg, W. Va., June 28.—The
West Virginia delegation to the St.
Louis convention, started from here,
comprising several private cars. They
will launch a campaign at St. Louis for
John T. McGraw of West Virginia as a
vice presidential candidate. Colonel
McGraw has twice been the party
nominee for United States senator
and has been national committeeman
for West Virginia for eight years.
Due to French Influence.
Paris, June 27.—The foreign office
received a dispatch from the French
minister at Tangier confirming press
dispatches, announcing the arrest
there of Ferdinand and Varley, es-
corted by the sheriffs of Vazquez. The
fact, it is claimed, shows that
French diplomatic efforts brought
about the release of the captives.
Indicted Official Pleads Guilty.
St. Louis, June 28.—Edmund Berke,
former member of the house of dele-
gates, pleaded guilty before Judge Mc-
Donald in the criminal division of the
circuit court to the charge of bribery
in accepting \$2,500 of the \$37,500
boodle fund for his vote on the city
lighting bill. Sentence will be pro-
nounced Friday.
Oil
And the formations in which it is found
and 29 cts. for the oil prospector's
Guide.
W. H. FAULKNER,
Fairfield, Va.

BUNCHED PARAGRAPHS
RELATING TO AFFAIRS IN THIS
AND ADJOINING STATES.
Supper Eludes Sheriff Callahan's
Purse—Former Congressman Takes
Away—Dead Mier's Hoard Discov-
ered—Other Matters.
Jackson, Ky., June 27.—The posse
headed by Sheriff Ed Callahan, which
has been on the trail of the man who
is supposed to have shot and killed
Mack White from ambush, followed
their man during the night but lost
him at Oakdale. Sheriff Callahan
thinks the fugitive secured a horse
there. The report that two of the
sheriff's posse were shot in a battle
is erroneous. Judge Callahan issued
warrants for the arrest of James and
Cass Salyers on the charge of murder-
ing White. The bloodhounds on the
scent with the posse ran into the Sal-
yers home and jumped up on the bed
and this prompted the posse to ask for
the warrants. Both the Salyers have
disappeared and are said to have left
on horseback.
Former Congressman.
Hopkinsville, Ky., June 25.—Hon.
James A. McKenzie, 64, former
congressman from this district, died at
his home at Oak Grove. He was
known everywhere as "Quinine Jim."
Prominent came to Mr. McKenzie
through his strenuous and successful
championing of the bill of which he
was the author to take the tax off
quinine. The speech, which, through
its humor, logic and earnestness
sent that measure through the house
and put the drug within the reach of
thousands who had been unable to
use it before on account of the pro-
hibitive tax upon it, was printed
in newspapers all over the United
States and was quoted by politicians
for years after.
Found Buried Treasure.
Walton, Ky., June 27.—Directed by
old "Aunt Cass," a negro servant,
searchers found \$15,000 which had
been secreted in and around the home
of John Fleet, 75, who died on his
farm near Verona, Ky. Fleet had the
reputation in life of being a miser, and
shortly before he died he confided to
a man named Griffin of this place and
to "Aunt Cass," who kept house for
the Fleets, that he had hidden nine
full-quart fruit jars, each containing
gold and silver, at various places
around the house. When the news of
the old man's death reached town
Griffin and some friends went to the
Fleet homestead. After searching for
several hours they managed to recover
seven of the fruit jars. These
contained \$12,000 in gold and \$2,000
in silver and paper money.
Distressing Fatality.
Knoxville, Tenn., June 24.—Mrs.
Avery Owensby, bride of two months,
was accidentally shot and killed by
Miss Blanche Cole, 16, at the latter's
home. Mrs. Owensby was paying a
call to the girl's mother, when Miss
Blanche opened a bureau drawer to
find a comb. Springing a pistol in the
drawer she playfully pulled it up and
pointing it at Mrs. Owensby, said
"Look here." Scarcely had she uttered
the words when the weapon dis-
charged, the ball entering Mrs.
Owensby's forehead and causing in-
stant death. Miss Cole was overcome
by the tragedy and has been speech-
less since.
Prospective Bride Disappears.
Memphis, Tenn., June 27.—Because
she was engaged to a preacher, whom
she vowed she could not love, Miss
Luella Johnson of Diamond, Ala., has
disappeared, leaving a letter stating
that she intended to drown herself in
the Tennessee river. Rev. E. L. Boy
pastor of the Methodist Episcopal
church at Gambel, Minn., in Walker
county, was returned to his home with
a sad heart. He left Gambel Minn.
for Diamond for the purpose of mar-
rying the following day Miss Johnson,
who is the daughter of a prosperous
merchant in that vicinity.
Deed of a Jealous Man.
Owensboro, Ky., June 27.—Robert
Mathley shot and killed Emma Wat-
kins and fatally wounded James Greg-
son at the residence of Will Warren
on West Main street. The act was
that of a man insane from a series of
several weeks and jealous of the man
in whose company he found the Wat-
kins girl. Mathley was arrested. He
is a widower with three children. He
made three attempts at suicide last
week.
Boys Charged With Burglary.
Frankfort, Ky., June 27.—Harry
Fitz, 12, and Nathan Croomb, 13, ac-
cused, were held over until September
next by commissioner on their own
recognizance to answer the charge of
robbing the postoffice at South Station
Shelby county.
Louisville Girl Won.
Lancaster, Ky., June 27.—In the
state tournament Miss Ethel Mosley
of Louisville won the first prize in
story; Miss Jennie Caylor, Somerset
second. There were 61 contestants.
A large crowd was in attendance.
Struck.
Burkesville, Ky., June 27.—At the
depth of 303 feet in a Standard Oil
company shaft a fine supply of oil in
the John S. Hard well No. 9 in Salt
Lick Bend. It is estimated to be a
100-barrel well.
Shot From Ambush.
Jackson, Ky., June 27.—Mack White
was shot from ambush, near here,
while hoeing corn in his field. He will
die. There was no play in the assassin.
Lad Drowns.
Columbia, Ky., June 27.—Alvin Bur-
ton, aged about 15, and son of J. P.
Burton, was drowned in Green river,
near Neaburg.
What to Put on the Early Potatoes.
If you follow the advice of Professor
N. B. Voorhes of New Jersey you will
push your potatoes along with the fol-
lowing: Nitrate of soda, 100 pounds;
sulphate of soda, 100 pounds; tank-
age, 100 pounds; acid phosphate, 500
pounds. You may use from \$90 to
1,200 pounds per acre. For late pota-
toes use fifty pounds less nitrate of
soda, 100 pounds of acid and fifty less
of potash. Application per acre, 600 to
800 pounds.

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Subscribe today.

H. C. Duff Jr. of Rosevelt washers on business Tuesday.

Harrison Combs has corn and hay for sale at Combs & Hays' stable.

Huey Riley of Bush's Branch was here Tuesday on business.

It costs you nothing to guess.

Miss Lulu Fautsch returned Monday from a visit to the W. R. Fair.

Call on Harrison Combs for meal and flour of the best quality.

W. J. Baker of Wharton was here Tuesday and sat for the News.

Read about our great guessing contest.

Mrs. M. Bowman and daughter Miss Gail returned Monday from a trip to the World's Fair.

Matings at Day Bros. Co.

You can get meal that has been ground on a water mill of Harrison Combs at Combs & Hays' stable.

F. W. Long, wife and two daughters, Misses Susan and Archibald, of Selma, Morgan Co., were guests of Logan Gas and family from Saturday till Monday.

Our guessing contest may mean a fortune to you. Try it.

Rev. Ben H. Bigstaff has organized a Sunday School near the mouth of Frozen Creek with over forty members.

Ice Cream at Davis Restaurant.

Mrs. T. C. Johnson of Tallapoosa and Mrs. Freeman Hickok of Hastings, Mo., were the guests of their brother Judge C. X. Bowling from Saturday till Monday.

You get the best ice from the "Ice Man".

T. H. Hudson has purchased an elegant new piano for his daughter Miss Eva Hudson.

Now is the time to buy your matting at Day Bros. Co.

The cork screw has become nearly as mighty as the sword.

Come and see the new mattings at Day Bros. Co.

You can't discover prosperity by looking for it through the bottom of a tumbler.

The best Ice Cream Parlor at Davis Restaurant.

Prof. Noah Ciseo of Hazel Green, formerly a member of the faculty of the Hazel Green Academy, was in Jackson Wednesday.

When in Lexington, stop with Hart Bros. at Reed Hotel.

Grannis Bach has been confined to his room with serious illness during the past week.

H. F. Davis, the "Ice Man", will deliver you ice promptly.

M. C. Bailey went to Hazard last week to work on the Dormitory for the college there.

Go to Davis Restaurant Ice Cream Parlor and get the best Ice Cream.

W. J. Cope of Taulbee was here last Friday.

Day Bros. Co. have received 100 bolts of new matting which they are selling at great bargains.

J. Shorman Cope arrived here last Friday on his way home from Mississippi where he had been on business for the past two months.

Salesman Wanted—To sell the Singer Sewing Machines in Lee, Owsley, Knott and Perry counties. This is a commission work. Call on or address The Singer Mfg. Co., 41 J. D. Lanier, Mgr. Jackson Ky.

Attorney John E. Patrick left Monday for Danville where he will spend a few weeks visiting his daughter.

FOR SALE—Two splendid milk cows. Win B. Hagler.

Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are just what you need when you have no appetite, feel full after eating and wake up with a bad taste in your mouth. They will improve your appetite, cleanse and invigorate your stomach and give you a relish for your food. For sale by Day Bros. Co.

When you do your spring cleaning you will want some new matting. Day Bros. Co. can supply it.

See S. D. Fleenor for bargains in clocks. A fine 8 day mantle clock for \$1.00. Others sell the same clock for \$2.50.

Our guessing contest is for our present as well as new subscribers. Each gets one guess for each 50 ct paid on subscription.

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Offered by the Henderson Route between Louisville and St. Louis.

Commencing Sunday, June 28th, Kentucky's popular line the Henderson Route, will inaugurate a safe and fast day service between Louisville and St. Louis in each direction, and will improve the time and equipment generally of all trains between these points.

Three daily trains will be operated in each direction on the following safe schedule between Louisville and St. Louis:

Leave Louisville 8:30 a. m. 9:00 p. m. and 7:30 a. m. Arrive St. Louis 6:15 p. m. 7:20 a. m. and 6:15 p. m.

The equipment is brand new (just from the shops) of the most modern restful pattern and is as fine as on any train operating in or out of Kentucky.

The 8:30 a. m. train, through without change of cars, will consist of Pullman Observation Parlor Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars, Dining Cars and high back seat passenger coaches.

The 9:00 p. m. train through without change of cars, will consist of Pullman Sleeping Cars, Free Reclining Chair Cars and high back seat passenger coaches.

The 7:30 a. m. train will have Parlor Cars, Dining Cars and high back seat passenger coaches.

The Dining Cars on day trains will serve meals a la carte you pay for what you get.

All trains will leave from and arrive at the Seventh Street Union Depot, Louisville, arriving at and departing from the magnificent new Union Station, St. Louis.

In purchasing your tickets to St. Louis or to points west, ask this agent for tickets via Louisville and the Henderson Route. He will have them in stock and will be glad to ticket you that way.

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Mrs. Haddix, wife of Daniel Haddix died at her home in Jackson Tuesday evening after an illness of many weeks with consumption. She was taken to Lexington last week for special medical treatment, but the physicians there pronounced the case incurable and she was returned home, she leaves a husband and 6 children mourning her loss.

She was buried in the Snowden graveyard above town. Services being held at the grave by Rev. M. W. Hiner.

Mrs. H. L. Bales accompanied by her son Florin, of Robbins was visiting her brother Judge A. F. Lyon this week.

O. A. Myres was taken to the Hospital at Lexington last Friday and underwent an operation for appendicitis. At last reports he was doing well.

Misses Lulu Taulbee and Lillie Rose Wolfe county passed through Jackson Tuesday on their way from St. Louis where they had been attending the "Big Show".

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

Is everywhere recognized as the one remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant to take. It is especially valuable for summer diarrhoea in children and is undoubtedly the means of saving the lives of a great many children each year. For sale by Day Bros. Co.

His Last Hope Realized.

[From the Sentinel, Geko, Mont.]

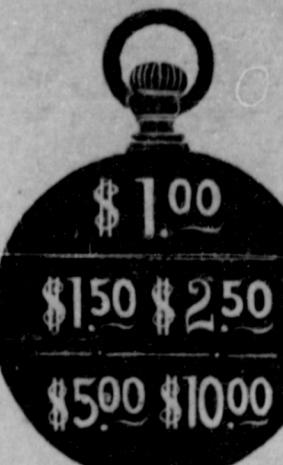
In the first opening of Oklahoma to settlers in 1889, the editor of this paper was among the many seekers after fortune who made the big race one fine day in April. During his traveling about and afterwards his campaign on his claim, he encountered much bad water, which, together with the severe heat, gave him a very severe diarrhoea which it seemed almost impossible to check, and along in June the case became so bad he expected to die.

One day one of his neighbors brought him one small bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as a last hope. A big dose was given him while he was rolling about on the ground in great agony, and in a few minutes the dose was repeated. The good effect of the medicine was soon noticed and within an hour the patient was taking his first sound sleep for a fortnight. That one little bottle worked a complete cure, and he cannot help but feel grateful. The season for bowel disorders being at hand suggest this item. For sale by Day Bros. Co.

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The Riverside Woolen Mills will have their agent E. C. Hurst at the following places to receive wool for shipment. We are the only up to date manufacturers of wool doing business in Breathitt County and will greatly appreciate your patronage. Satisfaction guaranteed.

Place	July 1
Jackson	5
Elkton	8
Albion	5
Frozen	11
Williston	12
Hampton	12

RECLINING CHAIR CARS

PUT ON BY SOUTHERN BETWEEN LEXINGTON AND ST. LOUIS.

The Southern Railway announces the inauguration within the next 10 days of free reclining chair cars to be operated on their trains between Lexington and St. Louis. The Southern Railway officials, on the lookout for the comfort of their patrons are leaving nothing undone to show their appreciation of the splendid reception given the through services from Lexington to St. Louis. This service was inaugurated some two months ago and has proven highly satisfactory to the World's Fair visitors. These trains and service are by far the best, Lexington people have enjoyed and they will no doubt continue to show their appreciation by giving the Southern Railway their patronage. Lexington Herald June 15 1904.

Win Hensley son of Green Hensley Jr. who lives on Wolfe creek about 15 miles from here was shot and seriously wounded last Saturday evening.

George Row and a Collinsworth were arrested charged with the murder and lodged in jail but have not yet had their examining trial. The parties were drinking at the time.

Circuit Court began at Beatty yesterday Monday with Judge Ridd at the bench. A large crowd was in town, this was the first court under the new apportionment.

The following gentlemen compose the Grand Jury, George P. Barker, Robert Thomas, Currier Lutes, John Brandenburg, Garrett Collier, John Oliver Jr., A. D. Johnson, Sike Smoot, Henry Coomer, Samuel Johnson, Arch Wilson, and Isaac Lincoln.

George P. Barker was appointed foreman.

Rev. W. W. Powell will enter his Sunday school class at a picnic at Camp Christie on next Thursday, July 1.

NOTICE

Is hereby given that I will take up wool for the Anchor Woolen Mills at the following times and places:

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Elkton	July 1
Jackson	July 1

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"I have been troubled for some time with indigestion and sour stomach," says Mrs. Sarah W. Curtis, of Lee, Mass., "and have been taking Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets which have helped me very much so that now I can eat many things that before I could not." If you have any trouble with your stomach why not take these tablets and get well? For sale by Day Bros. Co.

Try your skill at figuring on the Presidential contest and get the \$10,000.00 Prize.

WANTED: To buy poplar logs for veneer work; 16 inches and up; any length; will pay cash. W. J. Gibson, Norton, Va.

All who are indebted to the estate of J. B. Marcum will please call and pay the same at once Mrs. J. B. MARCUM ADM'X.

Coal and Timber Land Wanted.

Wanted one hundred thousand acres of coal and timber lands in Eastern Kentucky, for Cash, for Eastern Capitalists. Write to C. E. SMITH Lexington.

SLOCUM HORROR.

The Life Preserver on the Steamer, Number of Victims.

New York, June 23.—That the ill-fated steamer General Slocum had no life preservers aboard less than nine years old was admitted by counsel of the Knickerbocker Steamship company at the coroner's inquest. Miss Hall, the bookkeeper of the company, had testified concerning several bills for preservers in which she had erased the name "Grand Republic," the sister ship of the Slocum, and substituted that of the latter. Notwithstanding this, counsel for the company said they would make the admission as to the age of the bills, as they were unable to prove to the contrary. Evidence was also brought out that the United States inspectors did not examine the fire hose and standpipes, and that the preservers were not in good shape. The Rev. George Schultz of Erie, Pa., who was on the steamer, said he attempted to put on a life belt, but that the strap broke and he threw it away as useless.

Formerly Lived in Toledo. Memphis, Tenn., June 27.—Frank Desmore, a carpenter, was shot and killed at his home here by Norville Desmore, his nephew. It is said they had quarreled over money matters. Norville Desmore formerly lived in Toledo, O.

An Odd Jewish Ceremony. In the Jewish Encyclopedia is an account of the queer ceremony of the taking off a brother-in-law's shoe by the widow of a brother who has died childless, through which ceremony he is released from the obligation of marrying her. The ceremony is described as follows:

The yabam (brother-in-law) must have his right foot, on which the shoe is placed, washed very scrupulously, and after he has strapped it on he must walk four cubits in the presence of the judges. Then the chief of the judges reads the following passage, which the yabam (woman) repeats word for word: "My brother-in-law refuses to raise unto his brother a name in Israel; he will not marry me." Then the yabam is required to repeat the sentence, "I do not wish to take her." He then presses his right foot against the floor while she looses the straps with her right hand, takes off the shoe and throws it some distance away. Then she places herself in front of the yabam, sits on the floor in front of him and repeats these words after the presiding judge: "So shall it be done unto that man who will not build up his brother's house, and his name shall be called in Israel 'the house of him that hath his shoe loosed.'"

Herbert Spencer once told this story of a woman of his acquaintance: "Vain as well as vulgar minded, she professed to have a high admiration of Shakespeare and was partial to reading his plays aloud and considered that she declaimed the speeches extremely well. On one occasion after enlarging upon her reverence for him, she ended by saying: 'Ah, I often wish that he were alive and that I had him here. How we would enjoy one another's conversation!'"

Acrobatic in Metaphors. It sometimes happens that a speaker's enthusiasm runs away with him and his metaphors, as, for instance, when a zealous supporter of a certain organization recently thundered forth, "He is a person, my friends—I know what I am saying, for I have had personal experience—he is a person who would not hesitate to slap you on the back before your face and give you a black eye behind your back!"

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RAILROAD TABLES

Lexington & Eastern R'y

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective May 22nd, 1904.

East Bound		No. 2	No. 4
Ex. Sunday		P.M.	A.M.
By Lexington,	2:25	7:45	
Winchester,	3:10	8:25	
Clay City,	3:56	9:13	
Stanton,	4:06	9:23	
Natural Bridge,	4:35	9:54	
Torrent,	4:49	10:08	
Beattyville Jun.,	5:11	10:29	
O. & K. June,	6:11	11:26	
Ar Jackson,	6:15	11:30	

West Bound.

No. 1		No. 3
Daily		Daily
Ex. Sunday		P.M.
Ar Lexington,	10:10	6:05
Winchester,	9:23	5:20
Clay City,	8:37	4:39
Stanton,	8:28	4:30
Natural Bridge,	8:01	4:01
Torrent,	7:47	3:47
Beattyville Jun.,	7:25	3:28
O. & K. Junction,	6:29	2:30
Jackson,	6:25	2:25

Nos. 3 and 4 make close connection for Canal City and points on Ohio Kentucky Railway Division daily except Sunday.

Nos. 1 and 2 connect at L. & E. Junction with Chesapeake & Ohio for Mt. Sterling and local points.

Train No. 2 connects at Beattyville Junction with L. & A. for Beattyville.

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CHAS. SCOTT, G. P. A.

O. & K. RY.

Effective May 22nd, 1904.

East Bound		West Bound	
Mixed Train		Passenger Train	
No. 1		No. 2	
Ar. Lexington		Ar. Lexington	
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9:25	2:35 Jackson	11:23	3:30
9:43	2:50 O. & K. June	11:29	3:35
9:50	3:05 Winchester	11:35	3:40
10:00	3:15 Lexington	11:40	3:45
10:10	3:25 Lee City	11:45	3:50
10:20	3:35 Beattyville	11:50	3:55
10:30	3:45 Stanton	11:55	4:00
10:40	3:55 Natural Bridge	12:00	4:05
10:50	4:05 Clayton	12:05	4:10
11:00	4:15 Lexington	12:10	4:15
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West-bound Passenger Train connects at O. & K. Junction with train which leaves Lexington at 7:40 a.m.

East-bound Passenger Train connects at O. & K. Junction with train which arrives at Winchester 5:20 and Lexington at 8:05 p.m.

M. L. CONLEY, Sup't.

The Gentleman From Indiana

By BOOTH TARKINGTON

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Yes, as one leaves a gay acquaintance of the playhouse lobby for some hand, tired old friend, so he would wave the outer world good-bye and come back to the old ways of Carlow. What though the years were dusty, he had his friends and his memories and his old black liver pipe. He had a girl's picture that he should carry in his heart till his last day, and if his life was sadder it was infinitely richer for it. His winter friends would be not so lonely for her sake, and losing her, he lost not everything, for he had had the rare blessing of having known her. And what man could wish to be healed of such a hurt? For better to have had it than to find a stung peace unseasoned. He had been a dullard, a slobber, weary of himself, unfit to fight, a failure in life and a failure in love. That was ended. He was tired of failing, and it was time to succeed for awhile. To accept the worst that fate can deal and to wage courage from it instead of despair—that is success, and it was the success that he would have. He would take fate by the neck. But had it done him unkindness? He looked out over the beautiful, "monotonous" landscape, and he answered heartily, "No!" There was ignorance in man, but no unkindness. Were man utterly wise he would be utterly kind. There's no readers had not known better, that was all.

The unfolding aisles of corn swam pleasantly before his eyes. The earth hearkened to man's wants and answered. The element sun and summer rains hastened the fruition. You'd stand the brown haystack, garnered to feed the industrious bees that had earned it. He saw the straw thatched shelter for the cattle. How the orchard boughs bent with their burdens! The big red barn stood stored with the harvest for this Carlow county, and he was coming home.

They crossed a byroad. An old man with a streaky gray chin beard was sitting on a sack of oats in a seatless wagon, waiting for the train to pass. Harkness seized his companion excitedly by the elbow. "Tommy," he cried, "is this Penitence? Look! Did you see that old fellow?"

"I saw a particularly uninteresting and uninteresting gentleman sitting on a bag," replied his friend. "Why, that's old Kimball Penitence. He's going to town. He lives on the edge of the county."

"Is this the true?" said Meredith. "I wonder," said Harkness thoughtfully, "how many moments later I wonder why he had them changed around."

"The team," he always used to drive the hay on the near side and the hay on the off."

"And at present," rejoined Meredith, "I am to understand that he is driving the sorrel on the near side and the hay on the off?"

"That's it," returned the other. "He must have worked them like that for some time, because they didn't look uneasy. They're all right about the train, those two. I've seen them stand with their heads turned against a fast freight. See there?" He pointed to a white frame farmhouse with green blinds. That's Wyn Hubbard's. We're just outside of Beaver."

"Beaver? Educate Beaver, boy." "Beaver? Meredith, your information ends at home. What do you know of your own state if you are ignorant of Beaver? Beaver is that city of Carlow county next in importance and population to Plattville."

"Then you know of the window. I fancy you are right," he said. "I already see five people there."

Meredith had observed the change in his companion's mood. He had watched him closely all day, looking for a return of his sanity, but he came to the conclusion that in truth a miracle had been wrought for the lethargy was not that rigid, seemed to increase in Harkness with every turn of the wheels that brought them, nearer Plattville, and the nearer they drew to Plattville the higher the spirits of both the young men rose. Meredith knew what was happening there, and he began to be a little excited. As he had said, there were five people visible at Beaver, and he wondered where they lived, as the only building in sight was the station, and to satisfy his curiosity he walked out to the vestibule. The little station stood in the woods, and brown leaves whirled along the platform. One of the five people was an old lady, and she entered a rear car. The other four were men. One of them handed the conductor a telegram. Meredith heard the official say: "All right. Decorate ahead. I'll hold it five minutes."

The man sprang up the steps of the smoker and looked in. He turned to Meredith. "Do you know if Mr. Harkness is in the rear car?" he asked. "I don't want to go inside. The air in a smoker always gives me a spell."

"Yes, that's Mr. Harkness."

The man jumped to the platform. "All right, boys," he said. "Kip her out!"

The doors of the freight train were thrown open, and a big bundle of polonist stuffs was dragged out and hastily unfolded. One of the men ran to the farther end of the car with a strip of red, white and blue bunting and tacked it securely, while another fastened the other extremity to the railing of the steps by Meredith. The two companions of this pair performed the same operation with another strip on the other side of the car. They ran similar lines of bunting over the roof from end to end, so that except for the windows the sides of the car were completely covered by the national colors. Then they draped the vestibules with flags. It was all done in a trice. Meredith's heart was beating fast. "What's it all about?" he asked.

"Plen down the line," answered the man in charge, removing a tack from his mouth. He motioned to the conductor. "Go ahead!"

The wheels began to move; the demonstrators remained on the station platform, letting the train pass them, but Meredith, craning his neck from the steps, saw that they jumped on the last car.

"What's the celebration?" asked Harkness when Meredith returned. "Plen down the line," said Meredith.

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He continued to point out various familiar places, finally breaking out enthusiastically as they drew nearer the town: "Hello! Look there—beyond the grove yonder! See that house?"

"Yes, John."

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The train slowed up and stopped at a water tank 200 yards east of the station, and their uncertainty was at an end. From somewhere down the track came the detonating boom of a cannon. There was a crash of brass, and the travelers became sure of a band playing. "Marching Through Georgia," Meredith laid his hand on his companion's shoulder. "John," he said, "John!"

The cannon fired again, and there came a cheer from 3,000 throats, the shouters all unseen. The cannon ceased and panted, the train rolled on, and in another moment it had stopped alongside the station in the midst of a riotous jam of happy people who were waving flags and banners and handkerchiefs and tossing their hats high in the air and shouting their loudest hoarse.

The band played in dumb show. It could hear itself play. The people came at the smoker like a long wave, and Warren Smith, Briscoe, Keating, and Mr. Bece of Gaines were swept ahead of it. Before the train stopped they had rushed eagerly up the steps and entered the car. Harkness was on his feet and started to meet them. He stopped.

"What does it mean?" he said and began to grow pale. "Is Harkness here?"

Warren Smith seized one of his hands and Briscoe the other. "What does it mean?" cried Warren. "It means that you were nominated for congress at five minutes after 1 o'clock this afternoon!"

"On the second ballot," shouted the judge, "just as young Fiebee planned it weeks ago."

It was one of the great crowds of Carlow's history. Since noon an almost uninterrupted procession of pedestrians and vehicles had been making its way to the station, and every wagon, omnibus, buggy and team had had its flags or bunting or streamer of ribbons tied to the whip. The excitement increased as the time grew shorter. Everybody was struggling for a better position. The people in wagons and carriages stood upon the seats, and the pedestrians bearded them, climbing on the wheels, or balancing recklessly with feet on the hubs of opposite wagons. Everybody was bound to see him. When the whistle announced the coming of the train the best began to play, the cannon fired, horns blew and the cheering echoed and reached till heaven's vault resounded with the noise of the people of Carlow were making.

There was one heart that almost stopped beating. Helen was standing on the front seat of the Briscoe coach, with Minnie beside her, and at the commotion the horses pranced and backed so that Lige Willets ran to hold them. But Helen did not notice the frightened roars, nor did she know how Minnie clutched her round the waist to keep her from falling. Her eyes were fixed intently on the smoke of the farway engine, and her hand, lifted to her face in an uncertain, tremulous fashion, as it was one day in a circus tent, was laid against the deepest blush that ever mantled a girl's cheek. When the train reached the platform she saw Briscoe and the others rush into the bunting covered car, and there ensued what was to her an almost intolerable pause of expectation while the crowd assailed the windows of the smoker, leaping up and climbing on each other's shoulders to catch the first glimpse of him. Briscoe and a red-faced young man (a stranger to Plattville) came down the steps, laughing like boys, and then Keating and Bece, and then Warren Smith. As the lawyer reached the platform he turned toward the door of the car and waved his hand as in welcome. "Here he is, boys!" he shouted.

At that it was as if all the noise that had gone before had been mere background of sound and excitement. A thousand horns blared defiantly; the whistle of the locomotive and that of Hubbard's mill were added to the din; the courthouse bell was pealing out a welcome; the cannon thundered, and the cheer on cheer shook the air as John Harkness came out under the flags and passed down the steps of the car.

When Helen saw him over the heads of the people and through heaving tumult of flags and hats and handkerchiefs she suddenly gave a frightened glance about her and jumped down from her high perch and sank into the back seat of the backboard, with her burning face turned from the station and her eyes fixed on the ground. She wanted to run away, as she had run from him the first time she ever saw him, and then, as now, he came in triumph, hailed by the plaudits of his fellows.

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